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Good Afternoon, Ms. Geddes:

Thank you for contacting Governor Cooper's Office. We appreciate you taking the time to voice your concerns regarding the Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project.

Your comments have been documented for record and further consideration. Please let us know if you have any other requests, questions or concerns.

Kindest Regards,

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Message

Dear Governor Cooper,

I have been following the advancement of the Atlantic Coast Pipeline for quite some time, and I am growing increasingly concerned with the actions of this corporation. In this recent article, (link: <http://www.ncpolicywatch.com/2017/12/07/atlantic-coast-pipeline-sues-nc-landowners-asks-federal-court-allow-quick-take-properties/>), I read that the Atlantic Coast Pipeline, LLC is taking people's land in a move called "quick take" in which owners are required to give up their land through eminent domain without even receiving payment for their property. To make matters worse, landowners are still required to pay property taxes

on this land. This land-take seems so wrong to me. I have family that have farmed along the Cape Fear River since my ancestors first made their way up the Cape Fear from Wilmington as one of the first settlers west of the Cape Fear. We don't even have evidence that the pipeline will provide benefit to North Carolinians. In my research, I have discovered that most of the natural gas will be shipped out of the country through a facility at Newport News, VA or used to fire existing or new fossil plants along its route. The job creation that they claim is just short-term construction jobs, and many will be filled by non-North Carolinians. As an engineer who has worked in the power industry for more than 30 years (B. S. Nuclear Engineering 1984 NCSU), I can attest that this 19th century energy strategy will not propel us into a sustainable energy future. Shouldn't we require more evidence of the benefit to North Carolina before we allow this pipeline to adversely impact farmland, forests and waterways? We already have farmers who can't use their well water and are throwing away good harvest because of GenX contamination (link: <http://www.wral.com/elevated-genx-levels-found-in-roberson-county-farmer-s-honey/17162672/>). Let's put a halt to this nonsense before it's too late.

The favor of a reply is appreciated.

Best regards,
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